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FM AMEMBASSY DOHA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC NIACT IMMEDIATE 3887
INFO AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI
AMCONSUL DHAHRAN
AMEMBASSY JIDDA
AMEMBASSY KUWAIT
AMEMBASSY MANAMA
AMEMBASSY MUSCAT

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SWEL, QA
SUBJECT: CONTAMINATED SLAMON FROM U.S. AND/OR CANADA

1. EMBASSY HAS BEEN CONTACTED BY DR. ALLAN SPIHER OF QATARI
MINISTRY OF PUBLIC HEALTH FOOD LABS FOR HELP IN IDENTIFYING
BRANCH AND BATCH NUMBERS OF CONTAMINATED RED SALMON WHICH
APPARENTLY WERE PACKED IN SEATTLE. INITIAL INQUIRIES BY MINISTRY
HAVE PRODUCED SOME INFORMATION BUT NOT ENOUGH TO DETERMINE IF ANY
CONTAMINATED CANS MAY HAVE COME INTO QATAR.

2. MINISTRY NOW HAS INFORMATION WHICH INDICATES THAT SALMON WAS
PACKED IN SEATTLE BY PETER PAN SEA FOOD COMPANY AND SHIPPED
UNDER JOHN WEST BRAND NAME. MINISTRY HAS BEEN TOLD BY ONE SUPPLIER
IN SEATTLE THAT CONTAMINATED BATCH WAS STAMPED RF 7G//LF7145.
SPIHER WISHES TO KNOW WHETHER ANY OF THIS OR ANY OTHER
CONTAMINATED SALMON WAS SHIPPED TO ANY COUNTRIES OTHER THAN U.K.
OR UNDER ANY OTHER LABELS.

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3. SINCE QATAR IS IMPORTER OF SALMON THROUGH U.K. AND DIRECTLY
FROM SEATTLE, IMPERATIVE THAT THIS INFORMATION BE RETURNED TO
EMBASSY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

4. ACTION: PLEASE PROVIDE REQUESTED INFORMATION AND ANY OTHER
PARTICULARS AVAILABLE. PLEASE REPLY NIACT IMMEDIATE.
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